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CIVIL COVER SHEET

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PLAINTIFFS

Ape Group Spa, Romano Consulting Spa, Icaro Srl and Elazar Romano

DEFENDANTS

The Republic of Argentina

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CAUSE OF ACTION (CITE THE U.S. CIVIL STATUTE UNDER WHICH YOU ARE FILING AND WRITE A BRIEF STATEMENT OF CAUSE)
 (DO NOT CITE JURISDICTIONAL STATUTES UNLESS DIVERSITY)

28 U.S.C. 1330, breach of contract

Has this action, case, or proceeding, or one essentially the same been previously filed in SDNY at any time? No Yes Judge Previously Assigned

If yes, was this case Vol. Invol. Dismissed. No Yes If yes, give date _____ & Case No. _____

IS THIS AN INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION CASE?

No Yes

(PLACE AN [x] IN ONE BOX ONLY)

NATURE OF SUIT

		TORTS	ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES			
CONTRACT	PERSONAL INJURY	PERSONAL INJURY	FORFEITURE/PENALTY	BANKRUPTCY	OTHER STATUTES	
[] 110 INSURANCE	[] 310 AIRPLANE	[] 367 HEALTHCARE/	[] 625 DRUG RELATED	[] 422 APPEAL	[] 375 FALSE CLAIMS	
[] 120 MARINE	[] 315 AIRPLANE PRODUCT	PHARMACEUTICAL PERSONAL	SEIZURE OF PROPERTY	28 USC 158	[] 376 QUI TAM	
[] 130 MILLER ACT	LIAIBILITY	[] 365 PERSONAL INJURY	21 USC 881	[] 423 WITHDRAWAL	[] 400 STATE	REAPPORTIONMENT
[] 140 NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENT	[] 320 ASSAULT, LIBEL & SLANDER	PRODUCT LIABILITY	[] 690 OTHER	28 USC 157	[] 410 ANTITRUST	
[] 150 RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENT & ENFORCEMENT OF JUDGMENT	[] 330 FEDERAL EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY	INJURY PRODUCT LIABILITY	PROPERTY RIGHTS		[] 430 BANKS & BANKING	
[] 151 MEDICARE ACT	[] 340 MARINE	PERSONAL PROPERTY	[] 820 COPYRIGHTS	[] 880 DEFEND TRADE SECRETS ACT	[] 450 COMMERCE	
[] 152 RECOVERY OF DEFANTED STUDENT LOANS (EXCL VETERANS)	[] 345 MARINE PRODUCT LIABILITY	[] 370 OTHER FRAUD	[] 830 PATENT	[] 835 PATENT-ABBREVIATED NEW DRUG APPLICATION	[] 460 DEPORTATION	
[] 153 RECOVERY OF OVERPAYMENT OF VETERAN'S BENEFITS	[] 350 MOTOR VEHICLE	[] 371 TRUTH IN LENDING	[] 840 TRADEMARK		[] 470 RACKETEER INFLUENCED & CORRUPT ORGANIZATION ACT (RICO)	
[] 160 STOCKHOLDERS SUITS	[] 355 MOTOR VEHICLE PRODUCT LIABILITY		SOCIAL SECURITY		[] 480 CONSUMER CREDIT	
[] 190 OTHER CONTRACT	[] 360 OTHER PERSONAL INJURY	[] 380 OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY DAMAGE	LABOR	[] 861 HIA (1395ff)	[] 485 TELEPHONE CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT	
[] 195 CONTRACT PRODUCT LIABILITY	[] 362 PERSONAL INJURY - MED MALPRACTICE	[] 385 PROPERTY DAMAGE	[] 710 FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT	[] 862 BLACK LUNG (923)	[] 490 CABLE/SATELLITE TV	
[] 196 FRANCHISE	ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES	PRODUCT LIABILITY	[] 720 LABOR/MGMT RELATIONS	[] 863 DIWC/DIWV (405(g))	[] 850 SECURITIES/ COMMODITIES/ EXCHANGE	
		PRISONER PETITIONS	[] 740 RAILWAY LABOR ACT	[] 864 SSID TITLE XVI	[] 890 OTHER STATUTORY ACTIONS	
		[] 463 ALIEN DETAINEE	[] 751 FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE ACT (FMLA)	[] 865 RSI (405(g))	[] 891 AGRICULTURAL ACTS	
		[] 510 MOTIONS TO VACATE SENTENCE	[] 790 OTHER LABOR LITIGATION	[] 870 TAXES (U.S. Plaintiff or Defendant)	[] 893 ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS	
		28 USC 2255	[] 791 EMPL RET INC SECURITY ACT (ERISA)	[] 871 IRS-THIRD PARTY	[] 895 FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT	
		CIVIL RIGHTS	[] 530 HABEAS CORPUS	26 USC 7609	[] 896 ARBITRATION	
		[] 535 DEATH PENALTY	[] 540 MANDAMUS & OTHER		[] 899 ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT/REVIEW OR APPEAL OF AGENCY DECISION	
		[] 440 OTHER CIVIL RIGHTS (Non-Prisoner)			[] 950 CONSTITUTIONALITY OF STATE STATUTES	
REAL PROPERTY			IMMIGRATION			
[] 210 LAND CONDEMNATION	[] 441 VOTING	PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS	[] 462 NATURALIZATION			
[] 220 FORECLOSURE	[] 442 EMPLOYMENT		APPLICATION			
[] 230 RENT LEASE & EJECTMENT	[] 443 HOUSING/ ACCOMMODATIONS	[] 550 CIVIL RIGHTS	[] 465 OTHER IMMIGRATION			
[] 240 TORTS TO LAND	[] 445 AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES - EMPLOYMENT	[] 555 PRISON CONDITION	ACTIONS			
[] 245 TORT PRODUCT LIABILITY	[] 446 AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES - OTHER	[] 560 CIVIL DETAINEE CONDITIONS OF CONFINEMENT				
[] 290 ALL OTHER REAL PROPERTY	[] 448 EDUCATION					

Check if demanded in complaint:

CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION
UNDER F.R.C.P. 23

DEMAND \$ 9,000,000 OTHER _____ JUDGE Loretta Preska DOCKET NUMBER 1:19-cv-00351

Check YES only if demanded in complaint
JURY DEMAND: YES NO

DO YOU CLAIM THIS CASE IS RELATED TO A CIVIL CASE NOW PENDING IN S.D.N.Y.
AS DEFINED BY LOCAL RULE FOR DIVISION OF BUSINESS 13?

IF SO, STATE:

NOTE: You must also submit at the time of filing the Statement of Relatedness form (Form IH-32).

(PLACE AN X IN ONE BOX ONLY)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 Original Proceeding	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 Removed from State Court	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 Remanded from Appellate Court	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 Reinstated or Reopened	<input type="checkbox"/> 5 Transferred from (Specify District)	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 Multidistrict Litigation (Transferred)	<input type="checkbox"/> 7 Appeal to District Judge from Magistrate Judge
			<input type="checkbox"/> 8 Multidistrict Litigation (Direct File)			
<input type="checkbox"/> a. all parties represented						
<input type="checkbox"/> b. At least one party is pro se.						

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1 U.S. PLAINTIFF 2 U.S. DEFENDANT 3 FEDERAL QUESTION 4 DIVERSITY
(U.S. NOT A PARTY)

IF DIVERSITY, INDICATE CITIZENSHIP BELOW.**CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (FOR DIVERSITY CASES ONLY)**

(Place an [X] in one box for Plaintiff and one box for Defendant)

CITIZEN OF THIS STATE	PTF [] 1	DEF [] 1	CITIZEN OR SUBJECT OF A FOREIGN COUNTRY	PTF DEF <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3 [] 3	INCORPORATED and PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN ANOTHER STATE	PTF [] 5	DEF [] 5
CITIZEN OF ANOTHER STATE	[] 2	[] 2	INCORPORATED or PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN THIS STATE	[] 4 [] 4	FOREIGN NATION	[] 6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 6

PLAINTIFF(S) ADDRESS(ES) AND COUNTY(IES)

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DEFENDANT(S) ADDRESS(ES) AND COUNTY(IES)

The Republic of Argentina
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225 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10169

DEFENDANT(S) ADDRESS UNKNOWN

REPRESENTATION IS HEREBY MADE THAT, AT THIS TIME, I HAVE BEEN UNABLE, WITH REASONABLE DILIGENCE, TO ASCERTAIN THE RESIDENCE ADDRESSES OF THE FOLLOWING DEFENDANTS:

COURTHOUSE ASSIGNMENT

I hereby certify that this case should be assigned to the courthouse indicated below pursuant to Local Rule for Division of Business 18, 20 or 21.

Check one: THIS ACTION SHOULD BE ASSIGNED TO: WHITE PLAINS MANHATTAN

DATE 12/10/2020



SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD

RECEIPT #

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE IN THIS DISTRICT

[] NO

YES (DATE ADMITTED Mo. July Yr. 1996)
Attorney Bar Code # EG8403

Magistrate Judge is to be designated by the Clerk of the Court.

Magistrate Judge _____ is so Designated.

Ruby J. Krajick, Clerk of Court by _____ Deputy Clerk, DATED _____.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT (NEW YORK SOUTHERN)

This action is related to Aurelius Capital Master, Ltd. v. The Republic of Argentina, 19-cv-00351 because both actions assert claims with respect to the same securities.